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Applicant : GOOSSEN, J. Andrew

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LAYERED OBJECT WINDOWS

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AMENDMENT AF

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 15, 2006. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this Amendment.